



2025 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 81

August 29, 2025 - Introduced by Representatives UDELL, ANDERSON, BARE, CLANCY, HYSELL, JOERS, KIRSCH, MCCARVILLE, MIRESE, NEUBAUER, ROE, STROUD and TENORIO, cosponsored by Senators CARPENTER, KEYESKI and SPREITZER. Referred to Committee on Rules.

1 **Relating to:** urging the immediate and unconditional release of documents, files,
2 and records related to Jeffrey Epstein.

3 Whereas, the United States is founded on the principles of justice, equality,
4 and the rule of law, and no person, regardless of wealth, power, or political
5 influence, is above accountability; and

6 Whereas, Jeffrey Epstein was a convicted sex offender with a documented
7 history of human trafficking and abuse of minors, whose criminal enterprise
8 operated over decades and may have involved numerous high-profile individuals
9 from various sectors, including politics, business, entertainment, and international
10 diplomacy; and

11 Whereas, the American people deserve full transparency about how such a
12 network was able to operate in plain sight, avoid accountability, and compromise
13 institutional integrity across government, finance, and media; and

14 Whereas, Mr. Epstein's death in 2019 occurred while in federal custody; and

Whereas, many records related to Mr. Epstein's activities remain sealed, redacted, or otherwise withheld from public view, thereby fueling mistrust in government institutions and the justice system; and

Whereas, the victims of Mr. Epstein's crimes, and the public at large, have a right to know the full truth and to see that those who enabled or participated in these abuses are held to account under the law; and

Whereas, the integrity of our democracy is strengthened by full disclosure and by shining light on the failures, omissions, or possible complicity of those in positions of power; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That the Wisconsin State Legislature urges the immediate and unconditional release of all documents, investigative files, and sealed court records related to Jeffrey Epstein and any associated individuals, unless specific, narrowly tailored redactions are required to protect ongoing prosecutions or the identities of victims; and, be it further

Resolved, That the legislature calls for any individuals names in these documents who are credibly implicated in crimes to be thoroughly investigated and, if warranted, prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law, regardless of status or affiliation; and, be it further

Resolved, That the chief clerk of the assembly transmit copies of this resolution to the President of the United States, the Attorney General of the United States, the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and to each Senator and Representative from Wisconsin in the U.S. Congress.

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